TRAVANCORE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

FOURTH COUNCIL.

FIRST SESSION OF 1108.

(*OFFICIAL REPORT.*)

Friday, the 24th Vrischikam 1108/9th December 1932.

The Council assembled in the Victoria Jubilee Town Hall at eleven-hirty three of the Clock, the President presiding.

NEW MEMBERS.

The following new members were then sworn in :—

1. Mr. N. Nilakanta Pillai
2. Mr. B. Narayana Pillai
3. Mr. B. L. Slater
4. Mr. C. N. Sriranganatha Sastri
5. Mr. M. N. Narayana Menon.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS.

Newspaper cuttings submitted to Government by the Publicity Officer.

1. **Mr. K. KRISHNAN NAYAR** (*Pattanamtitta*) : Will the Government be pleased to state :

(*a*) the number of newspaper cuttings sent to them since the appointment of the present Publicity Officer ;

(*b*) the number of cuttings in English and the number of cuttings in Malayalam ;

(*c*) the names of the newspapers from which each of the cuttings was taken ; and

(*d*) the heading and subject matter of each of those cuttings ?

Mr. K. GEORGE (*Chief Secretary to Government*) : (*a*), (*b*), (*c*) and (*d*), As the subjects dealt with by the Publicity Officer are treated as confidential, Government do not consider it necessary to furnish the information asked for by the member.

Members of the Nagercoil Municipal Council.

2. **Mr. K. NARAYANAPERUMAL NADAR** (*Agastisvaram*) : Will the Government be pleased to state :

(*a*) the names of nominated non-official members of the Nagercoil Municipal Council in 1108 ;

(*b*) the names of nominated official members of the Council ;

(*c*) the minimum qualification of nominated members ; and

(*d*) by whom the non-official members were declared eligible to become members of the Council ?

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MR. A. KUMARA PILLAI (*Secretary to Government*): (*a*) From the 1st Chingom 1108 to the 2nd Tulam 1108:

(1) Mr. S. V. Muthukaruppa Pillai
(2) ,, P. N. Peter
(3) ,, S. Royappan.

Nominated with effect from the 2nd Tulam 1108:

(1) Rev. G. Jesudasan
(2) Mr. A. H. Nagalinga Asari
(3) ,, N. Vaikuntam.

(*b*) 1. Mr. V. Arunachalam Aiyar
2. Dr. P. Palpu
3. Mr. A. M. Kumara Pillai
4. Mr. P. G. Krishna Aiyar.

(*c*) Persons other than those disqualified under Section 11 of the Municipal Regulation, V of 1095, are qualified for nomination as Municipal Councillors.

(*d*) By the Dewan Peishkar, Trivandrum.

The Account Code.

3. **MR. K. P. ABRAHAM** (*Muvattupuzha* cum *Todupuzha*): Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) the year in which the existing *Account Code* was printed in a book form; and

(*b*) whether there are amendment slips, and, if so, how many of them, attached to the printed book as available now (22-11-1107)?

MR. R. NILAKANTA PILLAI (*Financial Secretary to Government*):

(*a*) Account Code Part I in 1924.
Do. Part II in 1916.

(*b*) Yes. 46 lists for Part I and 51 for Part II. } Till 24-1-1932 / 9-4-1108.

MR. K. P. ABRAHAM (*Muvattupuzha* cum *Todupuzha*): With reference to part (*b*), do the Government propose to reprint the Code incorporating all these amendments?

MR. R. NILAKANTA PILLAI (*Financial Secretary to Government*): Yes; in course of time the Code will be reprinted.

MR. K. P. ABRAHAM (*Muvattupuzha* cum *Todupuzha*): How long will it take?

MR. R. NILAKANTA PILLAI (*Financial Secretary to Government*): The Service Regulation is now under reprint. After that is over this work will be taken up.

Assignment of lands on the sides of the Neriamangalam-Pallivasal road.

4. **MR. RAMA VARMA RAJA** (*Edavagai*): Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) whether the survey of the lands on either side of the Neriamangalam-Pallivasal road is finished; and

(*b*) whether they propose to register those lands to foreigners (non-Travancoreans)?

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